



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Krishnan Chari, et al

CYAN FLUORESCENCE DYE FOR COATED OPTICAL BEAD RANDOM ARRAY DNA ANALYSIS

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## **Amendment**

In response to the Office Action mailed 06/29/2006, please amend the above-identified application without prejudice as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.